

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9401

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS, ASEC, AR

SUBJ: THIRTEEN ARMY OFFICERS KILLED IN PLANE CRASH

1. EMBASSY ASSUMES THAT DEPT AWARE FROM FBIS AND OTHER SOURCES OF CRASH OF ARMY AIRCRAFT NEAR TUCUMAN ON JAN 5 IN WHICH THIRTEEN ARMY OFFICERS DIED INCLUDING GENERALS SALGADO AND MUNOZ. DETAILS ON CRASH CONTAINED IN USDAO BA IR 6804000675.

2. LOCAL PRESS STORIES INDICATE CRASH WAS AN ACCIDENT CAUSED BY WEATHER CONDITIONS. AT THIS POINT IN TIME, EMBASSY HAS NO REASON TO BELIEVE OTHERWISE OR SUSPECT SABOTAGE DESPITE THE INEVITABLE RUMORS WHICH ARE BEGINNING TO CIRCULATE. HOPEFULLY, THE INVESTIGATION OF THE CRASH WILL DETERMINE THE CAUSE EVEN THOUGH IT MAY TAKE SOME TIME TO DO SO.  
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